

## Open Court Reading Diagnostic Assessment (4-6)

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Grade Level Fourth Grade

Readability Level

Course / Content Reading

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**Content** Diagnostic Assessment can be used to help identify students who may have reading difficulties. Results can be used to plan for small-group or individual instruction and for using the Intervention materials. It may also be used to assess new students who might enter a classroom during the school year.

**Student Experiences** Students will show what they know by completing assessments designed to diagnose reading difficulties.

**Assessment** Continuous assessment provides a variety of useful techniques and opportunities to assess students both informally and formally. Informal assessments include Rubrics, corresponding with specific skill masteries following the Lesson Planner pages within the Teacher Edition. Formal assessments are done periodically to offer teachers the opportunity to gauge progress on multiple skills. In the Program Assessment book, a Pretest at the beginning of the year guides and informs instruction, and a Midyear Test and Post-test give teachers an opportunity to monitor students' progress. Unit Assessments monitor students' understanding of phonics, comprehension, and language arts. Diagnostic Assessment provides more focus assessment opportunities to aid in individualizing instruction. Test Preparation and Practice Workbooks help teachers prepare their students for standardized tests, such as Terra Nova, SAT/9, and ITBS.

**Organization** There is one Diagnostic Assessment for levels 4-6.

**Resource Materials** Teacher Read Alouds are sets of trade books used for theme/unit introduction. Diagnostic Assessment provides focused assessment opportunities to aid in individualizing instruction. Home Connections are BLM that teachers can send home to keep parents up

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**Available Ancillary Materials** Teacher Editions provide the information necessary for teaching systematic, explicit skills instruction centered around quality literature selections. There are six thematic units. Student Anthologies are collections of literature organized by themes. T

### Research Data and Evidence of Effectiveness

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Research Available

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Recommendations: [Used as a part of the whole instrument this provides many opportunities to allow readers to excel given the anthology as the basis for instruction. See anthology summary.](#)

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**READING CONTENT**

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